



Mayor's Message

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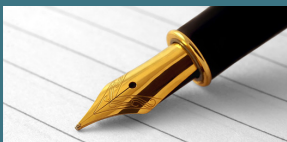
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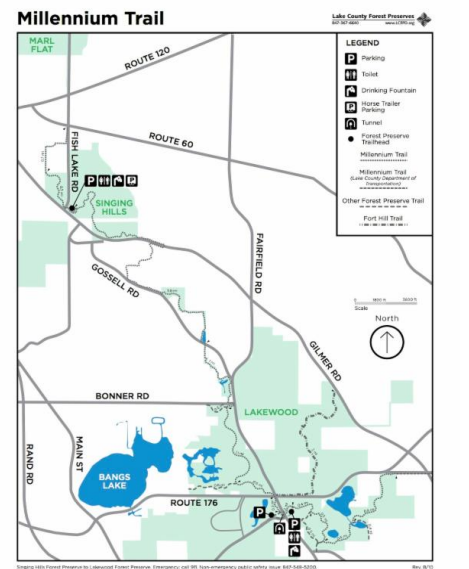


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23 SEPTEMBER 2016

Dear Neighbors,

At the September 19th Village Board meeting, an intergovernmental agreement was approved exchanging property with the Lake County Forest Preserve District (LCFPD) and acquiring a key piece of property for the Lake Michigan Water project. The Village property provided to the LCFPD includes approximately 1.8 acres of vacant property on the east side of Grand Boulevard. This parcel is surrounded on three sides by LCFPD property and will assist the District in making a more unified open space adjacent to the Millennium Trail and allowing them to more effectively address invasive vegetation.



LAKE COUNTY
FOREST PRESERVES

PRESERVATION, RESTORATION,
EDUCATION AND RECREATION

In exchange, the Village receives approximately 1/3 of an acre of District property adjacent to the elevated water storage tank off Gilmer Road. This site will be the receiving station for Lake Michigan water once the transmission main is constructed. The acquisition of this parcel for no cost to the Village helps to keep the cost of the project to a minimum.

Earlier this year, the Village also exchanged property with Wauconda School District #118. District #118 received additional land adjacent to the high school giving them options for a future expansion or reconfiguration. In exchange, the Village received a small parcel in front of the bus depot on Bonner Road which will allow the Village to construct an elevated

storage tank and pressure station allowing the Village to effectively distribute Lake Michigan Water throughout the community. This exchange was again completed with no acquisition costs to either entity.



Lake Michigan Water Project

Once the water agency (Central Lake County Joint Action Water Agency) completes the preliminary engineering for the transmission main, a presentation on the overall cost of the project

will be provided allowing residents and users of the water system to better understand the various aspects of this project along with what to expect from a financial perspective. The preliminary engineering is expected to be complete within the next several months. Until then, thanks to our partners at Wauconda School District #118 and the Lake County Forest Preserve District.

Ask the Mayor

Question:

I've read in the newspaper that the Village will be allowing backyard hens in the near future. Is this true? I don't agree with this decision and how can I provide input?

Answer:

The License and Administration Committee of the Village Board is currently considering a request from several residents interested in raising hens in their backyards as egg producers and pets. The Committee has held two meetings on this issue so far and is examining possible regulations. No recommendation from the Committee has been made to date and it is not too late to provide your input. To do so, you can attend the next meeting of the License and Administration Committee in late October (watch the website www.wauconda-il.gov under the agendas and minutes tab for the meeting announcement) or you can provide your comments to the Village Administrator at dmaxeiner@wauconda-il.gov and he will make sure the Committee gets your input.



National Preparedness Month

2016

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NATIONAL SEASONAL PREPAREDNESS MESSAGING CALENDAR

DECEMBER Winter Weather Safety* Holiday Safety* Flu Vaccination Week	JANUARY Winter Weather Safety* Holiday Safety*	FEBRUARY Flood Safety*
MARCH American Red Cross Month Severe Weather Safety* Tornado Safety Tsunami Safety	APRIL Financial Literacy Month National Volunteer Week National PrepareAthon! Day (4/30)*	MAY Older Americans Month Military Appreciation Month National Building Safety Month Nat'l Hurricane Preparedness Week* National Police Week National EMS Week National Small Business Week Wildfire Community Preparedness Day* National Dam Safety Awareness Day
JUNE Pet Preparedness Month* Extreme Heat Safety Lightning Safety	JULY Firework and Outdoor Cooking Safety	AUGUST National Night Out
SEPTEMBER National Preparedness Month & PrepareAthon! Day (9/30)* Youth Preparedness Education*	OCTOBER Cybersecurity Awareness Month National Crime Prevention Month Fire Prevention Week The Great ShakeOut Earthquake Drills	NOVEMBER Critical Infrastructure Preparedness Month Military Family Month Native American Heritage Month

*Asterisks denotes topics that will feature a preparedness related digital toolkit

- To learn more about each topic month or week and to get content to promote preparedness information all year visit: www.ready.gov/calendar
- While FEMA suggests the above content to promote content please feel free to adapt topics to your local area and use this calendar as a guide only.

AMERICA'S
PrepareAthon! Ready

For additional information visit <https://www.ready.gov/september>.

Oktoberfest



Pancake Breakfast

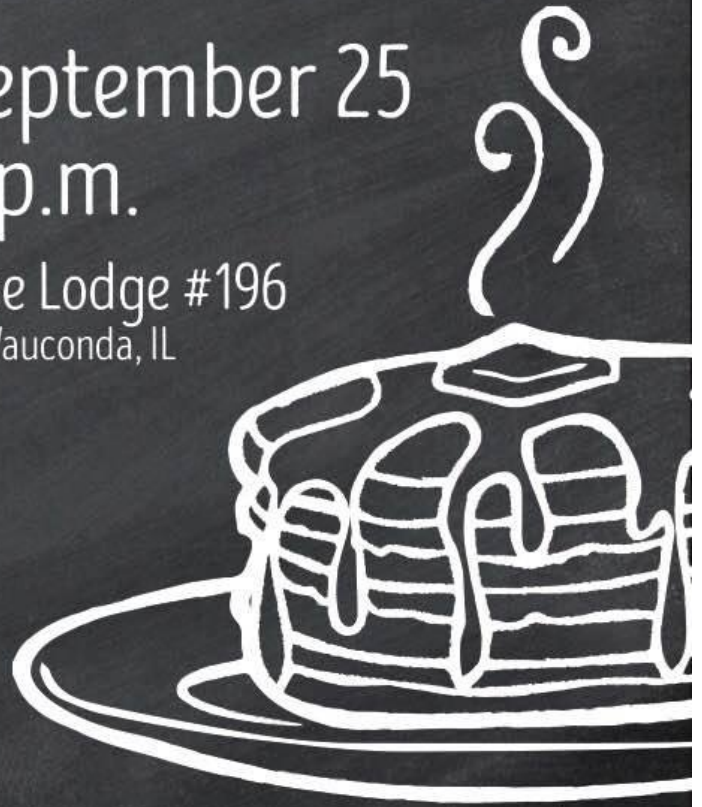
BOY SCOUT — TROOP 90
**PANCAKE
BREAKFAST**

Sunday, September 25
8 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Wauconda Moose Lodge #196
200 South Maple Ave. Wauconda, IL

All You Can Eat!
Adults: \$6
Kids 7 & Under: \$4

Proceeds benefit the
Scouts of Troop 90.



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American Legion Craft Show

HALLOWEEN "WHO'S HOO"



CRAFT SHOW 2016



AMERICAN LEGION POST 911



515 S. MAIN STREET
WAUCONDA, IL. 60084
(847) 526-9718



*****FREE ADMISSION***FREE ADMISSION*****

SATURDAY, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

SUNDAY, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

OCTOBER 1 & 2, 2016

50/50 Cash Raffle

Supporting American Legion Programs

Come see the amazing work done by these crafters!!

The next meeting is Tuesday, October 4th, 2016 at 7:00 PM at Village Hall, 101 N. Main Street.

Take care and God Bless,

Frank

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